

## STOMACHS ON STILTS.

The man who puts on stilts does not increase his actual stature. He only feels taller. Stimulants are the stilts of the stomach. They make a man feel better for the time being, but he feels a great deal worse for them afterward.

The need of the man whose stomach is "weak" is not stimulation but strength. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery perfectly answers that need. It contains no alcohol or whisky. It cures the weak, foul stomach with its attendant bad smelling breath, coated tongue, bad taste, poor appetite and kindred symptoms.

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## HAMLINS

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## FOURTEEN INDICTMENTS

The following fourteen indictments, charging conspiracy in the giving and receiving of rebates, were reported by the federal grand jury in the United States District Court in Kansas City, Mo., yesterday.

George H. Crosby, of Chicago, general traffic manager of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad.

George L. Thomas, of 320 Broadway, New York, a merchandise broker.

L. B. Taggart, New York, Crosby's chief clerk.

The Chicago and Alton Railroad Company and John N. Faithorn and F. A. Wann, formerly vice president and general freight agent, respectively, of the railroad company.

The Cudahy Packing Company, Swift & Co.

The Armour Packing Company.

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railroad Company.

Nelson Morris, Edward Morris, and Ira N. Morris, comprising the partnership of Nelson Morris & Co.

D. H. Kreskapi, Kansas City, freight broker.

The charges against the Chicago and Alton and Messrs. Faithorn and Wann are identical with those made in the indictments returned by the federal grand jury at Chicago on December 13.

Under provisions of the statutes, the men indicted for conspiracy, if convicted may be sentenced to imprisonment for not more than two years. The fine is not less than \$1,000 or more than \$10,000.

The indictments against the packing companies charge that they entered into a contract with the Burlington Railway to accept concessions on shipments of their products from East St. Louis to New York for export. The grand jury charges that the agreement thus entered into provided for a rate of 23 cents a hundred pounds on these products. This was in July, 1905. The agreement was to continue in force until January 1, 1906.

The local rates applied on these shipments between Kansas City and St. Louis.

In August, 1905, the joint rate on packing-house products was raised by the Joint Traffic Association to 25 cents between East St. Louis and New York. The Burlington, nevertheless, it is declared, lived up to its 23-cent agreement with the packers in Kansas City and carried practically all the packing-house products from Kansas City except the products of the Schwarzschild & Sulzberger Packing Company.

Two indictments were returned against George L. Thomas, of New York, who is alleged to have held a contract with the Burlington, by the terms of which he was to receive a certain percentage of the freight rates paid on all shipments more than specified tonnage from New York to Kansas City, and vice versa. The investigation made by the grand jury revealed the fact that Thomas had agencies at Kansas City, Omaha, Chicago, St. Louis, Milwaukee, and other cities.

After the indictments had been formally handed to the court by the foreman of the grand jury, Richard Gentry, Judge Pollock announced that the bonds in each case would be \$5,000. Individuals will have to appear for arraignment and give bonds as soon as they have been found.

The indictments against the packers, the railroads, John N. Faithorn, and Fred A. Wann are for alleged violation of the Elkins act; those against D. H. Kreskapi, George L. Thomas, and L. B. Taggart are for alleged conspiracy to commit an offense against the United States in a violation of the interstate commerce law.

The specific charge against the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway is that it granted rebates to the Howard Mills Company, of Wichita.

Hummel's Large Fee. If the district attorney in New York proves his case against Abraham H. Hummel, it will be shown that Hummel was paid \$77,250 by Capt. James T. Morse, the uncle of Charles W. Morse, to break up the marriage of Mrs. Dodge to Charles W. Morse after she had obtained a divorce from her husband, Charles F. Dodge. This much was outlined yesterday in the opening of Assistant District Attorney Renj, and in a series of questions put to Abraham H. Kaffenburgh and Nathaniel Cohen, who are employed by Mr. Hummel's firm.

Mr. Rand said that he would prove that Capt. Morse, who is a Boston ship owner, went to Hummel, and after asking him to look into the marriage of his nephew, gave Hummel \$15,000 as a fee on Hummel's statement that he could show that the Dodge divorce had been obtained by fraud. It was after the Dodge divorce had been set aside, and while Dodge was in Texas, a fugitive from this State, that Capt. Morse paid to Cohen, in sums ranging from \$1,500 to \$21,000, a further \$62,250. Mr. Rand indicated that much in his questions to Mr. Cohen, and Capt. Morse will undoubtedly testify that he paid the money to Cohen. Both Kaffenburgh and Cohen, who were unexpectedly called as witnesses by Mr. Rand immediately after every question put to them on the ground that it would tend to incriminate them. Hummel showed up pale and nervous.

Grip Quickly Knocked Out. Some weeks ago during the severe winter weather both my wife and myself contracted severe colds which speedily developed into the worst kind of la grippe with all its miserable symptoms," says Mr. J. S. Egleston of Maple Landing, Iowa. "Knees and joints aching, muscles sore, head stopped up, eyes and nose running, with alternate spells of chills and fever. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, aiding the same with a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, and by its liberal use soon completely knocked out the grip."

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Tapestry Couch Covers.....	from \$1.50 to \$5.00
Harth Size Rugs.....	from \$1.45 to \$5.00
Parlor Lamps (Hand Painted).....	from \$4.00 to \$8.00
Jardinieres with Pedestal.....	from \$5.00 to \$15.00
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Ask for our Store Directory and Shopping Memoranda. You'll find it very convenient and helpful.

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